



Atty. Docket No.: 25436/1642

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Huang, et al.	Examiner: Baker, Maurie Garcia
Serial No.: 09/863,748	Group Art Unit: 1639
Filed: May 23, 2001	Conf. No.: 9159
Entitled: Compositions and Methods Using Dendrimer-Treated Microarrays	

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an Extension of Time of three month(s) to file a Response in the above-identified patent application. This will serve to extend the time for filing the Response to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2004 from June 10, 2004, up to and including September 10, 2004.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, an extension fee of \$475.00 for maintaining the pendency of the present application is required. The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized to charge fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 25436/1642. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, enclosed for filing in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. Petition for Extension of Time (3 months);
2. Return Post Card.

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